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Brain Diseases

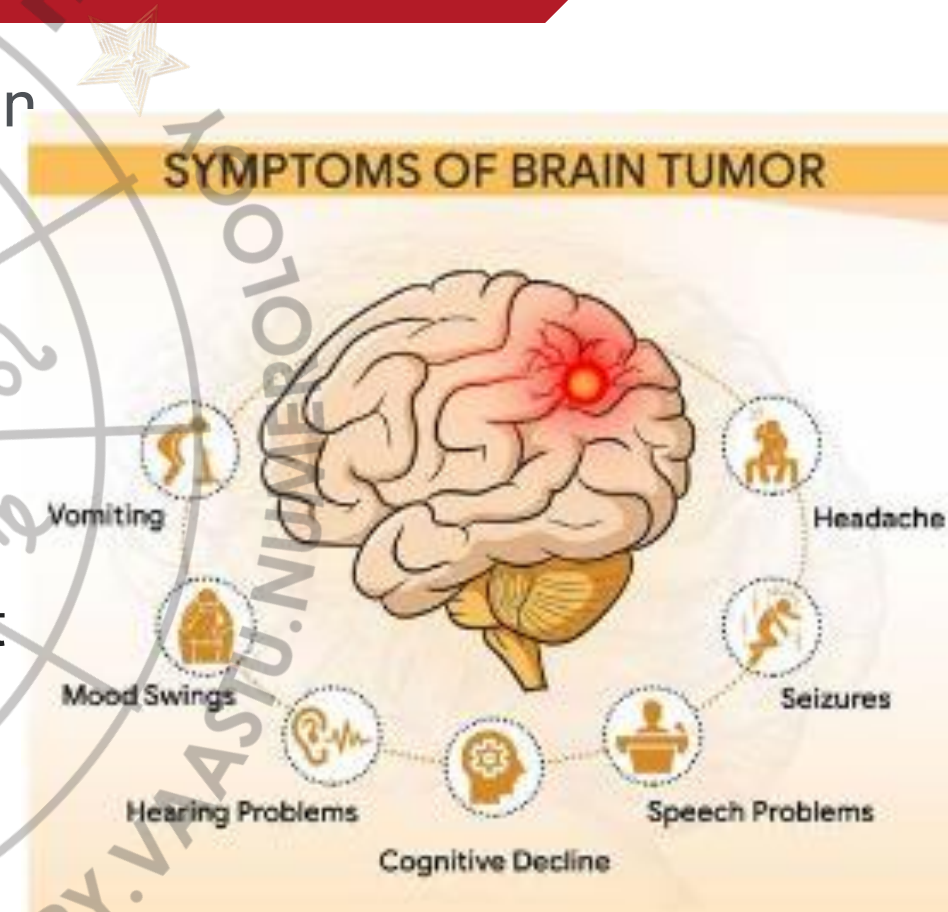
- In Astrology, Sun is the significator of brain; also the Ascendant and its lord in a natal chart and correspondingly Aries, the first sign of the Zodiac and its lord Mars rule over the head of the body.
- Brain is the source of the entire nerve system therefore, Sun is its origin. The nerve system being the mode of communication of brain with different organs of the body for transmission of messages or instruction of brain for different functions, it is Mercury which is the significator of the nerve system as it is the lord of the third sign Gemini signifying communication in the Zodiac.
- Therefore, affliction in a natal chart of the Ascendant, its lord, the sign Aries, its lord Mars, the Sun, Mercury by malefics or rendered weak by position and/or strength is likely to cause different types of brain diseases

Brain Diseases - Migrain

- Migraine is a common neurological disorder characterized by recurrent headaches. Typically, the associated headache affects one side of the head, is pulsating in nature, may be moderate to severe in intensity, and could last from a few hours to three days. Non-headache symptoms may include nausea, vomiting, and sensitivity to light, sound, or smell.
- Migrain is believed to involve the nerves and blood vessels of the brain.

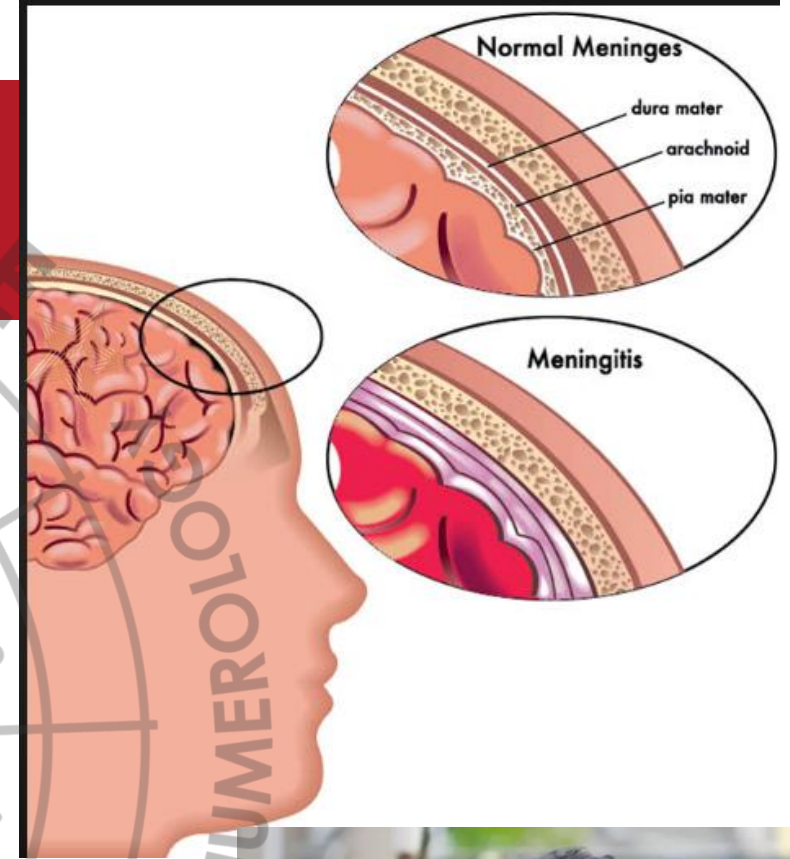
Brain Tumor

- A brain tumor occurs when abnormal cells form within the brain. There are two main types of tumors: malignant tumors and benign (non-cancerous) tumors. These can be further classified as primary tumors, which start within the brain, and secondary tumors, which most commonly have spread from tumors located outside the brain, known as brain metastasis tumors.
- All types of brain tumors may produce symptoms that vary depending on the size of the tumor and the part of the brain that is involved.
- Symptoms may include headaches, seizures, problems with vision, vomiting and mental changes. Other symptoms may include difficulty walking, speaking, with sensations, or unconsciousness.



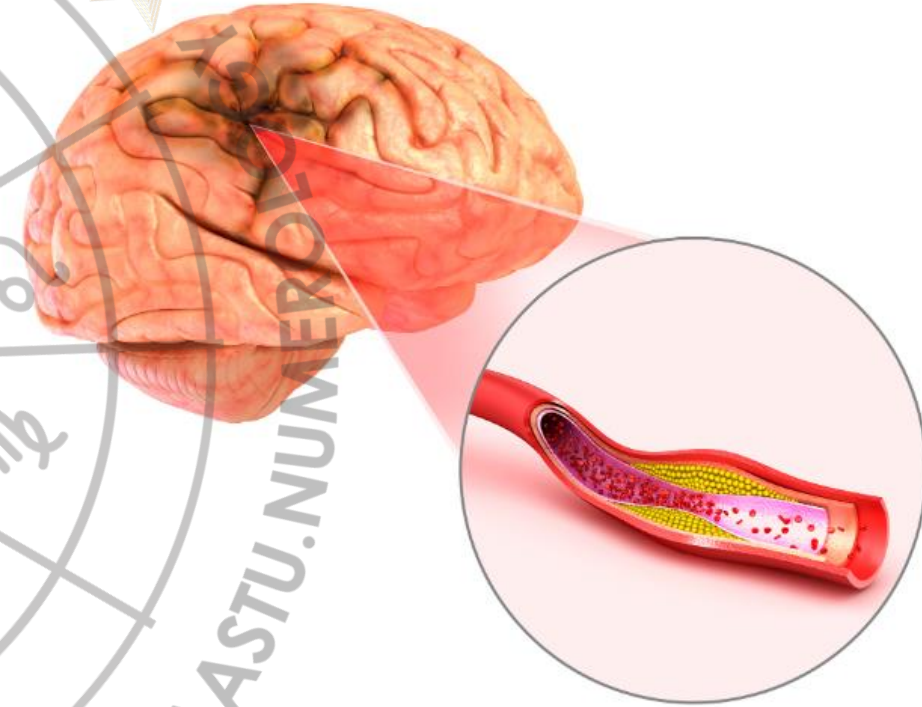
Meningitis and Cerebral Palsy

- Meningitis is an **inflammation (swelling) of the protective membranes covering the brain and spinal cord**. A bacterial or viral infection of the fluid surrounding the brain and spinal cord usually causes the swelling. However, injuries, cancer, certain drugs, and other types of infections also can cause meningitis.
- **Cerebral Palsy (CP)** is a group of movement disorders that appear in early childhood. Signs and symptoms vary among people and over time, but include poor coordination, stiff muscles, weak muscles, and tremors. There may be problems with sensation, vision, hearing, and speaking. Often, babies with cerebral palsy do not roll over, sit, crawl or walk as early as other children of their age.



Cerebral Thrombosis

- Cerebral thrombosis is arterial thrombosis in one of the cerebral arteries; the thrombus obstructs the supply of blood to the brain and results in stroke syndrome. Causes include hardening of the cerebral arteries, hypertension, complications of syphilis or other infections, dehydration, diabetes mellitus, or a violent injury.



Lunacy

- Mind is actually governed by Moon Manakaraka, Mercury buddhikaraka. Contact of Saturn and Rahu On these planets make the mind dull, revengeful and phobia tic.
- 5th house, 5th lord act as storehouse of intelligence. When 4th house, 5th house, Moon and Mercury are afflicted, mind becomes lunatic (Loses balance of judgment power) .. Strong 5th house/5th lord provides excellent judgment power.
- All crude and limited minds are held by Saturn. Mars quickens to action of Mercury, while Saturn retards and steadies the mental expression. Both these conditions, belong to the material or practical side of expression, whereas Jupiter and Venus elevate into idealistic stated.

Planets and 5 Senses

- During Mercury Rahu or Rahu-Mercury dasa one suffers from fear complexes.
- Senses are quick or slow, in accordance with the position and aspects on Moon.
- Each of the five senses has ruler. The planetary vibrations are allied to the senses approximately as follows;
- Jupiter rules Ether and causes the sense of hearing. For a person to be able to hear, ether must be present;
- Saturn rules Air and causes sense of touch. For a person to feel something air must be present.
- Mars rules fire and causes sense of Sight.
- Mercury rules Earth and causes sense to Smell. For a person to smell, the element of Earth must be there.
- Venus rules water and causes sense to Taste. For a person to taste, water must be present.

Paralysis

- The affected limbs is deprived of its movements and some sensations (such as heat, touch etc).
- When some rupture of the brain cells or the collapse of the brain cells occur in the left side of the brain, paralysis is struck in the right side and vice versa. Sudden accidental shocks may also cause rupture of the brain cells.
- The eyes ,face, legs, hands, tongue (speech) etc. can be struck by paralysis and the relevant function could remain destroyed temporarily or for ever. Sometimes paralysis could be to one side of the body or yet in some unfortunate circumstances the whole body may be paralysed. Paralysis of the lower or upper part of the body is also well known.
- When a certain part of the body is deprived of regular blood supply it develops a type of paralysis called Hemaplexia.

Cerebrovascular Disease

- Restrictions in blood flow may occur from vessel narrowing (stenosis), clot formation (thrombosis), blockage (embolism) or blood vessel rupture (hemorrhage).
- The heart pumps blood up to the brain through two sets of arteries, the carotid arteries and the vertebral arteries.
- The **carotid arteries** split into the external and internal arteries near the top of the neck with the external carotid arteries supplying blood to the face and the internal carotid arteries going into the skull. Inside the skull, the internal carotid arteries branch into two large arteries – the anterior cerebral and middle cerebral arteries and several smaller arteries – the ophthalmic, posterior communicating and anterior choroidal arteries. These arteries supply blood to the front two-thirds of the brain.
- The **vertebral arteries** extend along side the spinal column and cannot be felt from the outside. The vertebral arteries join to form a single basilar artery near the brain stem, which is located near the base of the skull. The vertebrobasilar system sends many small branches into the brain stem and branches off to form the posterior cerebellar and posterior meningeal arteries, which supply the back third of the brain.

Cerebrovascular Disease...cont.

- Because the brain relies on only two sets of major arteries for its blood supply, it is very important that these arteries are healthy. Often, the underlying cause of an ischemic (**restriction in blood supply to any tissues**) stroke is carotid arteries blocked with a fatty buildup, called plaque. During a hemorrhagic stroke, an artery in or on the surface of the brain has ruptured or leaks, causing bleeding and damage in or around the brain.
- Whatever the underlying condition and cause are, it is crucial that proper blood flow and oxygen be restored to the brain as soon as possible. **Without oxygen and important nutrients, the affected brain cells are either damaged or die within a few minutes.** Once brain cells die, they cannot regenerate, and devastating damage may occur, sometimes **resulting in physical, cognitive and mental disabilities.**

Astrology of Paralysis

- Karaka planet for this disease is Mercury. If Me is afflicted heavily and be connected with the 6th house, 6th lord and the 9th house; and if the 9th house is also afflicted along with its lord, this disease is sure to occur.
- Paralysis is actually obstruction of blood circulation in the affected area. Arterial blood is governed by **Jupiter**. The **Sun provides oxygen** to the blood and the **Moon causes circulation** of blood. **Saturn stands responsible for narrowing** down the arteries or obstructing down the arteries or obstructing the blood circulation by generating **clotting**.
- If the Sun, the Moon & Jupiter are afflicted with Saturn and may be involved with the 6th house, coronary thrombosis is likely to be caused.
- If the lord of Lagna occupies the sign of Mercury or Mars and be aspected by inimical planets Saturn, Rahu or Ketu, it will cause paralysis.
- Mercury rules the youth, Saturn rules one's old age. When these two planets are not conjunct and are separated by about ninety degrees, then the young age paralysis is distinct possibility.
- But when Me and Sa are together, old age paralysis is feared. If the 4th house is of prime importance in analyzing this disease, old age will be the main target. If this is 1st house, then the victimization is at youth.
- Movements of any limb is controlled from the 3rd house. So the affliction of 3rd house is found in the cases of paralysis.